

HOOD'S GUARANTEES
a cure. What it has done for
others it will do for you. Be sure to
get Hood's Sarsaparilla.

THE ADVOCATE.

No matter how many United States Senators the Sugar Trust controls the people are entitled to see sugar and they propose to have it.

Considerable experimenting is done in England at the present time on bamboo bicycles. A wheel complete of this material weighs twenty-two pounds.

A ballplayer who made an unexpected descent on the outskirts of Met was found to have been engaged in making sketches, presumably for the French.

Samuel Edson, of Fort Grant, Mich., the venerable father of Thomas A. Edson, is now in his ninety-first year, and is in full possession of all his faculties.

A kind of paper indestructible by fire is the invention of a Parisian. After being subjected to the severe heat of a potter's furnace for 148 hours it came out intact.

Being to the fact that farms may be laid upon the sole condition that they improve the land, many Norwegian immigrants have settled in British Columbia rather than in the United States.

The Court of Appeals handed down a decision Tuesday in which it was held that it is not unlawful for business men to combine for the purpose of protecting themselves against dishonest creditors.

Merely to repel so much of the sugar tax as Germany objects to, leaving the rest for the benefit of the Trust, is not reform of the kind the people have been voting for. The sugar tax ought to go!

Willie—"Look, Paw! Who's the tall man with the wide hat?"
Papa—"And the long hair?"
"Yes, and the buckskin suit?"
"I cannot say, my child, whether he is a poet, scout, cowboy, patent medicine man or horse thief, we live in an age of strange fads."—Papa Dean.

Not Empty Handed.

Ambulance Surgeon (reporting)—"Nothing in that last call. Feller was insensible from drink. Brought him to with ammonia and come back."
House Surgeon—"But you've got a case in the wagon there."
Ambulance Surgeon (earliest)—"Oh, that's a feller we run over coming back."—Punk.

Relative Values.

One day stopping at a house for dinner in the Kentucky mountains I listened to an agent trying to sell the head of the establishment a sewing machine.
"Now look here," said the agent, "you ought to do something to help your wife, oughtn't you?"
"She ain't objectin' to my style, I reckon," said the mountaineer.
"That's because she's a good, kind, uncomplaining sort of a woman, and it's the very reason why you should do these little things for her."
"But I can't afford it," protested the mountaineer.

"Afford it, nothing," exclaimed the agent. "You could afford to buy that Winchester sitting by the door, couldn't you?"
The mountaineer looked up quickly and reached for the gun.

"Yes," he said, saying it across his lip, "but I need it."
"Not as much as your wife needs a sewing machine."
"More, I reckon."

"Of course that isn't so. How could you? Now I tell you what I'll do. If you will buy a machine for your wife I'll take the gun as part pay."
"I reckon not."

"Call you wife out here and ask her what she thinks about it. I'll bet a hat she'll jump at the chance for such an exchange."
The mountaineer smiled and called the "old woman" out. He stated the proposition to her and the agent began to feel sure of victory.

"If Jim Boston wasn't livin' we might," she said, after a moment's thought.

"What's he got to do with it?" asked the agent in a provoked tone.
"A heap thing. You see," she went on, "my old man and Jim shot on terms; that's why he got the Winchester. Now if Jim knowed we only had a sewing machine, it wouldn't be no time till I was a widder, and I reckon I'll do my sewin' by hand, 's'pos you come 'round after Jim's death, and the agent gave it up and agreed to come around after James had been disposed of—Detroit Free Press.

THE CURRENCY PLANS.

Secretary Carlisle's Plan and the Baltimore Plan Contested.

TAKE YOUR CHOICE.

THE CARLISLE PLAN.

Sec. Carlisle presented his financial bill to the Committee on Banking and Currency to-day and further explained its provisions. Later the bill was introduced in the House by Mr. Springer, of Illinois, and was ordered to be printed and referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

In the first section all laws providing for the deposit of bonds to secure circulation are repealed. The second section provides for the circulation of notes to the extent of the paid-up capital on deposit of legal tender equal to 30 per cent. of the notes deposited. These notes shall be of \$10 and multiples of ten, and shall be uniform in design.

The fourth section gives a duty of 14 per cent. for each half year on the bank notes in circulation, and provides for the mode of redemption and retirement of a bank's circulation.

Section 5 creates the safety fund for the prompt redemption of circulating notes of failed banks. Each bank shall pay to the United States Treasurer in the months of January and July in each year a tax of 4 per cent. for each half year on the average amount of its circulation notes outstanding, until said fund amounts to 5 per cent. of the total amount of such notes outstanding, and thereafter said tax shall cease. A bank retiring or reducing its circulation shall not be entitled to withdraw any part of this fund. The mode of procedure in case of a bank failure is outlined.

Section 6 allows the Secretary of the Treasury to invest money belonging to the safety fund in United States bonds.

Section 7 provides that on January 1, 1895, national banks having United States bonds on deposit may withdraw them and substitute the guarantee fund.

Section 8 repeals previous acts conflicting with this measure.

Section 9 provides that the Secretary of the Treasury may, in his discretion, redeem and retire United States legal tender notes; that no United States or Treasury notes shall be issued after the date of July 8, 1890, of a denomination of less than \$10, shall be issued.

Section 10 states that a bank duly organized under the laws of any State, which transacts no other than banking business, shall be exempt from taxation under the laws of the United States under certain conditions.

Section 11 provides that State banks shall not issue notes similar in design to United States notes, nor certificates of national banks.

Secretary Carlisle read the bill to the committee, commenting on it as he proceeded. When he had concluded reading the bill, Mr. Carlisle explained it in detail. He pointed out the various sections of the present law proposed to be repealed. Concerning the conditions imposed on State banks by his bill, he said certain features had been added to meet criticisms made of the plan as outlined in the annual report.

Mr. Brodus (Rep., of Pennsylvania), asked whether it was not desirable for the Government to assume the risk of redeeming notes rather than leave it to the banks.

Mr. Carlisle answered in the negative. He said he did not believe in Government responsibility further than providing the most ample assurance practicable. The Secretary presented a table showing the profits of national banks under the proposed plan, as compared with the profits under the present law. It showed the additional profits and inducements would incline national banks to take out circulation. In the course of the general discussion Mr. Carlisle said he did not think any immediate retirement of United States Treasury notes was practicable. The Secretary spoke of Controller Eekles' currency plan. Without wishing to criticize it, he thought its fatal defect was in requiring national banks to take out two different kinds of circulating notes.

Mr. Hall, of Missouri, asked the Secretary as to Mr. White's statement that the Treasury plan lacked elasticity.

Mr. Carlisle said there was no difference between the plan and the amount of circulation which could be taken out.

The shipments of gold were discussed at much length. Mr. Carlisle said

the loss of gold was very heavy after the passage of the Sherman law. The loss of gold had brought on financial distress and had threatened panic. But there had been no real danger. These panics were largely the result of sentiment and public feeling, instead of well-based fears.

During a general discussion between Mr. Carlisle and members of the committee, the Secretary referred to the hauling of bonds. He said that as much as he regretted it, he saw no way of preventing the further issue of bonds as long as the present system remained.

THE BALTIMORE PLAN.

The following is a synopsis of the bill presented to the Banking and Currency Committee by Horace White, of New York:

"The first section provides that no banking association shall be required to deposit United States bonds either as preliminary to the commencement of banking business or for the redemption of circulating notes to be hereafter issued."

Section 2 provides that in lieu of the deposit of bonds each national banking association shall be entitled to receive circulating notes from the Controller to the amount of — per cent. of its paid-up, unimpaired capital, upon paying to the Treasurer the lawful money to the amount of 2 per cent. of such circulating notes, and thereupon tax at the rate of one-half of 1 per cent. per annum upon the average amount of the circulation for the year. The 1 per cent. and proceeds of the tax are to constitute a guarantee fund for the redemption of notes of insolvent national banks, and the tax is to be collected until the fund amounts to not less than 5 per cent. of the entire circulation issued. This fund is also to be in addition to the 5 per cent. redemption fund now provided by law.

Section 3 provides that in addition to the amount of the circulating notes provided for, each association shall be entitled to receive from the Controller, circulating notes to the amount of 25 per cent. of its paid-up, unimpaired capital, upon paying to the Treasurer 2 per cent. of such additional circulation, and that that tax of one-half of 1 per cent. per annum upon the average amount of the same outstanding, and an additional tax of 4 per cent. per annum upon the amount of such additional circulation outstanding for the year, all of which sums are to be a part of the guarantee fund.

Section 4 is devoted to the insolvency of national banking associations, and it provided that when such insolvency shall be ascertained in the case of any particular association its outstanding circulating notes shall be redeemed by the Treasurer of the United States out of the guarantee fund if that is sufficient, and if not sufficient, out of any fund in the Treasury. After the loss on the account of any particular failure has been made good to the guarantee fund the United States is first to be paid for all advances made.

Section 7 provides that associations applying for circulation after the first year shall have the guarantee fund shall have been made may receive circulating notes from the Controller upon paying into the fund a sum bearing a ratio of the circulation applied for and allowed which the guarantee fund bears to the total circulation outstanding.

Section 9 provides that whenever banks notes are issued to any association under this act it shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Treasury to cancel legal tender United States notes and Treasury notes to the amount of 80 per cent. of the bank notes so issued.

Section 10 authorizes any association to retire its circulation or any part of it at any time upon depositing with the Treasurer an amount equal to the sum desired to be withdrawn.

Section 12 repeals section 9 of the act of July 12, 1832, and all the portions of the act of June 20, 1874, which provides that the amount of bonds on deposit for circulation shall not be reduced below \$50,000, and provides that any association heretofore organized desiring to withdraw its circulating notes in whole or in part may do so under the provisions of the act of June 20, 1874, modified as above indicated.

Sections 4, 5, 8 and 11 relate to certain minor routine matters.

The Japanese have landed an army of 25,000 men near Takhu, only eighty miles from Peking. A detachment has also landed. Further, the army of 25,000 men near Port Arthur. The Chinese are retreating, and it is expected that the Japanese armies will combine for an attack on Peking.

A Titan of Heroes.

I met a hero of the highest type a year ago among the mountaineers of the Southwest, where one would hardly expect to find this particular sort. He had killed a man or two, and had the reputation of being the gamest man in the mountains. He was extremely handy with a gun, too, and everybody gave him a wide berth whenever there was a prospect of a row. Before I left the neighborhood, however, he got into a difficulty with another man, and when the shooting began he cut and run like a deer. Two days later I met him on the road and we talked about the affair.

"I was rather surprised at the way you acted," I said, as mildly as I could, for even then I had no wish to stir him up.

"I reckon most folks was," he replied briefly.

"I know they were, and they don't understand it. Neither do I."

"Well, he said, half apologetically, "I reckon I just ran, and that was all that was to it."

"There was more than that; you lost your reputation by it."

"Mebbe I did, colonel," and he swallowed a lump in his throat; "but that tatter had seven little children dependin' on him, and I kinder had an idee just before I pulled trigger that mebbe I could get along better without my reputation than they could without their daddy, so I run."

He stopped all uncertain what to say next, and I took him by the hand and shook it with a vigor that I knew he appreciated by the look that came into his eyes.—Detroit Free Press.

Not in His Line.

"Barclay's Mission," of Atlanta, is known everywhere as the original "Sunday School on Wheels." The interest manifested in this famous mission by Mr. J. F. Barclay has led some persons to believe that Mr. Barclay is a minister. Now, Mr. Barclay is in the undertaking business, and thereby hangs a tale.

The other day a very serious young man entered his establishment.

"I would like to speak with Mr. Barclay," he said.

The young man looked more serious than ever, but he said:

"I—I want you to come around to my house this afternoon at 3 o'clock."

"Very well," said Mr. Barclay. The young man hesitated, coughed, and added:

"It's such a serious matter, that—"

"All unerals are," observed Mr. Barclay.

"But this isn't exactly a funeral," exclaimed the young man, "it's a marriage, and I want you to tie the knot for us."

"But, my dear friend," said the astonished Mr. Barclay, "I am not a minister."

"Not a minister?"

"Certainly not!"

"Then," cried the young man in a hopeful voice, "I'll do for it. Every body does for it. My girl told me that she would never marry me unless you performed the ceremony, and if you don't get a license to preach right away I'll be a bachelor forever."—Atlanta Constitution.

Blasts From The Ram's Horns.

The footprints of godliness always point toward selfishness.

It is much harder to be happy with riches than it is without them.

The world need men who will do right, no matter what is to come of it.

It is doubtful if the devil has ever been driven back an inch by aster preaching.

Christ came in a visible way in one body in order that we might look for him in every body.

Hanged Himself With a Trace.

Mr. Oliver, Ky., Dec. 11.—Thomas Hilt, a farmer living near Sardis, four miles from here, committed suicide yesterday by hanging himself in his barn, using a tracehook around his neck. He was deranged.

One Way.

"How, brethren," shrieked the Salvationist, "how shall we save our souls?"

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Schedule in effect Jan. 28, 1894.

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ADVOCATE PUBLISHING COMPANY.

Tuesday, December 12, 1894.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For Railroad Commissioner.

We are authorized to announce John C. Wood as a candidate for Railroad Commissioner, for the Eastern District of Kentucky, subject to the action of the Republican party.

The Atlanta Chamber of Commerce has endorsed the Carlisle currency plan.

A Populist member of the Alabama Legislature has introduced a bill to tie up freight trains on Sunday.

The Republican Senators are said to be little disposed toward an alliance with the Populists for the control of the Senate.

Attorney General Hendrick has given an official opinion that sheriffs must give three bonds, an "official" bond, a "revenue" bond and a "fiscal" bond.

The Supreme Court of California has thrown out the action of the Republican State Central Committee, brought to contest the election of James H. Smith (Dem.) as Governor.

It is asserted that as a condition precedent to placing the recent Russian loan, the Rothschilds secured a promise that in the future better treatment would be accorded Jews in Russia than they have been getting.

The weekly cotton report shows that the cotton movement to date is 238,000 bales in excess of that of 1891, which has been up to this time the year of the greatest cotton crop ever known.

The trial of the Whitfield county whippersnappers in the United States Court at Atlanta, has brought out the statement from a witness that prominent Federal, county and town officials were members of the organization.

Police Captain Cretton, of New York, testified before the Lexow Committee Friday that he paid \$15,000 for his promotion to the rank of Captain. The bulk of the money is said to have gone to Police Justices, then Commissioners Voorhies.

At Chicago Friday Judge Woods, of the United States Circuit Court, declared that Eugene V. Debs and other officers of the American Railway Union were in contempt of court in violating its orders during the strike. Debs was sentenced to imprisonment for six months, the others for three months.

The appropriation for collecting the license tax is a part of the Urgent Deficiency Bill passed by the House Thursday. A motion by Mr. Coker to strike out the license tax appropriation was defeated by a vote of 49 to 169. Regulations for the collection of the tax have been sent out.

As the Sultan did not like the idea of an independent investigation of the Armenian outrages by United States Consul Jewett, as proposed by President Cleveland, the Lord of the Harem has withdrawn his invitation to the United States to name a commissioner, and Mr. Jewett's appointment has consequently been recalled.

Who Will It Be?

The voters of Montgomery and Menefee counties are beginning to ask the question, who will represent us in our next Legislature? As for the ADVOCATE, we will say that it matters not who the Democratic party is in its wisdom may select, we will heartily endorse and will be found in the harness ready to do all the work we can for the success of the party. We will have a choice among Democrats, and shall work for the nomination of a man who, in our judgment, is best equipped for the position; but the choice of the party will be our candidate. In addition to the gentleman already spoken of, Judge R. F. Day and Mr. L. T. Cullies are favorably mentioned.

Adams Confident.

Washington, Dec. 13.—Congressman Silas Adams said this morning that he had received a number of letters from prominent Republicans in Kentucky pledging their support in this race for doorkeeper-ship of the next House. The members of the delegation in the House are also giving their personal influence in behalf of Adams. In view of the fact that there may be an extra session, the candidates for the various House offices are making a hot campaign.

KENTUCKY.

Bureau of Information and Immigration.

Address to the People of Kentucky.

At an Immigration Convention held in Louisville on the 24 and 25 of October, 1893, in which all portions of the State were represented by delegates of the highest intelligence, provisions were made for the organization of a Bureau of Information and Immigration, and the undersigned were appointed to issue an address setting forth the action of the convention and inviting the co-operation of the good people of the Commonwealth. The General Assembly of Kentucky has seen fit to abolish the Geological Survey, which for many years was the means of conveying to the people, at home and abroad, official information in regard to our mineral wealth and other natural resources. Through this influence is due much of the influx of capital and population, the increase of railroad mileage and the growth of manufactures which have marked the past decade. The State has felt the loss of this Valuable Service, and the late Convention has sought to establish in its stead a Bureau, to be sustained by voluntary contribution, which will, to some extent, supply its place. Recognizing the fact that no movement of this kind can succeed without the full sympathy and co-operation of the people of Kentucky, we take this means of acquainting you briefly with our purposes and aims.

Our State has a large amount of territory which is yet thinly settled, within the limits of even the most thickly-populated counties there is much land unimproved which could be made productive if occupied by thrifty immigrants from other States or from foreign countries. Drought, forest fires, and the rigors of winter are causing much inquiry for homes in a more favored climate by a large body of people who would make valuable additions to our population, and information is sought as to our mineral and timber resources. We have these in great abundance, and capital is needed for their development. In every part of the State there is agricultural or mineral land for sale at low prices, but there are few buyers. Beyond the limits of the State there are many thousands who want to buy such lands for settlement as farmers, for the development of the minerals or the manufacture of the timber. The prime object of the Bureau we are organizing is to open a communication with our people who want to sell their lands and those outside the State who want to buy.

In order to do this we propose a simple organization, the details of which will be fully set forth in the Articles of Association, rules and regulations of the Bureau of Information and Immigration. The salient feature of this system is to interest the people themselves in the work of furnishing information respecting the land they have for sale, the character of the soil, the minerals, the timber, the prices at which it can be bought and the character of immigration they desire. This work will be done by County Committees, organized by and reporting through the chairman of each congressional district, who will be one of the Executive Committee of the Bureau. If the enterprising men of each county and neighborhood, especially young men, the county officers, or individuals or corporations owning land, will give a little attention to the subject they can forward our work, and at the same time benefit themselves. We have no pliant scheme to propose; we are not stalling to work up a boom, but by simple and systematic methods to enlist the energies of the best men in the State, the intelligent citizens of each county, who take pride in its progress and development, in building up its waste places, increasing its earning capacity adding to its wealth, and thereby lightening taxation.

The power of such men in working good to the Commonwealth can not be overestimated. Their interest and co-operation will be a guarantee to settlers and investors that they favor the highest degree of development, that our laws for the protection of life and property will be "fully and impartially" executed, that education will be fostered and that a hospitable and

helping hand will be extended to all worthy newcomers. If we can be animated by this spirit, then indeed we can hope to see Kentucky take the position among the States of the Union for which the bounty of nature in soil, climate and natural resources has fitted her. The praise of her products of distillation, fast horses, and feminine beauty has been worn threadbare. She needs to vindicate her name against the charge of laziness of law, often exaggerated by the malice of those interested in diverting capital and population elsewhere. This must be done by enforcing it rigidly. She needs to dispel the idea which has gained currency that she does not wish any addition to her population, natives or foreign. This can be effected by entering zealously into the work proposed by this Bureau.

Let those who have surplus lands study best how they can dispose of them. Put the prices low enough and the terms liberal enough to attract good buyers, and thus enhance the value of the remainder. If there are thrifty owners who let their land go to waste and bring discredit upon the neighborhood, let the enterprising neighbors unite to secure its sale to a more thrifty purchaser. We propose to use our best effort to make the Bureau of Information and Immigration a success on the lines indicated. It is worth a trial, and to that end we ask the aid of every citizen of the State, and the particular citizen we are addressing now is not your neighbor, but you who are reading this.

The office of the Bureau is room 64 Board of Trade building, Louisville, Ky.

J. STODDARD-JOHNSON,
C. P. AYMORE,
CHARLES H. STODDARD,
J. M. BRADY,
M. H. CRUMP.

A Worthy Man Endorsed.

The Kentucky Horticultural Society, in session at Lagrange last week, adopted unanimously by a rising vote the following resolution:

Resolved, That, without committing ourselves to any political party, we take pleasure in testifying to Col. Nall's worth and can recommend him as a man thoroughly equipped for the office of Commissioner of Agriculture to which he aspires.

To Fight the "Standard."

A big deal was consummated at Toledo, O., the other day involving from \$5,000,000 to \$5,000,000, which will make Toledo the most important oil center in the Ohio field, and at the same time give the Standard Oil Company a new and formidable competitor. It is a combination of three independent companies, with chances in favor of two more going into it.

Bit Her Mother.

Chillicothe, O., Dec. 13.—Upon being refused permission to go out for a walk last night, Katie Johnson, 16, made an attack on her mother and bit pieces of flesh out of her arms and legs. She also kicked her mother in the abdomen, inflicting serious injuries. The girl was arrested and her mother is in a critical condition.

"It is funny," says an exchange, "how people discover the real importance of a newspaper when they get into a scrape or do something they are ashamed of. They live for years without subscribing, and when they are asked to advertise they say 'it don't do any good.' But the minute they get into a scrape they rush to the editor and request him to say something about it, in case it is trouble in which their name will happen to be mentioned. Then they realize the paper has a circulation and don't want their names 'spread all over.' Appreciation of a newspaper should begin before you get into trouble. It might be well for some people to inscribe this indelibly upon their memory tablets or paste it in their hats."—Winchester Sun.

The official vote for Governor of Tennessee was announced Thursday. Evans (Rep.) received 105,104 votes; Purney (Dem.), 104,355; Minus (Pop.), 23,092. Evans' plurality is 748. It is probable that the election may be contested before the Legislature, on the ground that many were allowed to vote in Eastern Tennessee without payment of poll-tax.

In view of the recent disorders at Hazard, in Perry county, and the attempted assassination of Judge Hall, Gov. Brown has detailed Col. E. H. Galtier, of the Second regiment, Kentucky State Guard, to go to Hazard and report at once whether troops are necessary for the preservation of order and the conduct of the courts.

IVORY SOAP



BEST FOR SHIRTS.

THE PROCTER & GAMBLE CO. CHICAGO.

Lecture.

Mrs. Corvillins will deliver her interesting lecture on Rome, at Ascension Church on Friday evening, December 21, at 7:30 o'clock, for the benefit of the Sunday-school.

Those who have had the pleasure of hearing Mrs. Corvillins on this and kindred subjects, speak with highest praise of her accomplishments, and all who attend this lecture will be delightedly entertained. The introduction will be made by Mrs. General Williams. A feature of the evening will be the music by Miss Potter and other young ladies.

Admission, 25 cents. Tickets for sale at W. S. Lloyd's drug store.

A nice line of Chamber Sels from \$2.50 to \$20 at W. P. Oldham & Co's.

Your Grandmother's Cakes

May have been extra fine, but we do not believe they could have equaled those made to-day out of our CLIMAX flour. To induce you to try this excellent flour we will offer it at \$1.80 per bushel.

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Almost every one who makes any pretensions to taste acknowledges a weakness for fine China. Oldham & Co. are strong enough to take advantage of this weakness, and have put in a line that makes one restless to finger his pocketbook.

Fine perfumes at R. C. Lloyd's City Drug Store.

Jones, the Jeweler, has the finest line of jewelry ever in Mt. Sterling.

Those Friendly Plates at Oldham's are just as beautiful as they are elegant in design.

102 pieces Dated Sets from \$10 to \$40 at W. P. Oldham & Co's.

Now then, go to Smith & Co's and buy the best beef, pork, etc.

Manufacturing Jeweler Diamonds, Watches, Jewelry, Fine Plated Ware. A Specialist in Fitting Glasses. REPAIRING BY SKILLED MEN. **The Place to Buy Holiday Presents!** **THE BEST GOODS FOR THE LEAST MONEY** **VOCTOR BOGAERT,** 17 East Short Street, LEXINGTON, KY.

Boys and Girls, We want your help in introducing "LAGER" Tobacco. If your father, brother, uncle, cousin, relative or friend chew tobacco, ask them to try "LAGER." It has a most delightful flavor, is tough and far more lasting than the average chew.

"LAGER" Tobacco

Has ... Come ... To ... Stay ...

Money For You!

Every plug of "LAGER" Tobacco has two tags, and TEN of these tags are worth FIVE CENTS. That much cash will be paid for them. Boys and Girls, secure the "LAGER" Tobacco tags. Get your relatives and friends to chew "LAGER"; do them a great service and make money by saving the tags.

It Contains No Nicotine.

Nicotine destroys health and life. "LAGER" Tobacco is the best and most wholesome tobacco in the market. It is manufactured from Virginia leaf exclusively, and therefore makes a tough, lasting chew. The only sweet in it is pure Spanish Licorice, which will not produce heart-burn in the most delicate stomach. This tobacco is sold on its merits, and wherever introduced it has proved to be of unbounded popularity. Don't take anybody's word for it; have your friends try it. It is a winner, sure.

WHOLESALE DEALERS:

TRIMBLE BROS., THE CHILES-THOMPSON GROCERY CO., Mt. Sterling, Ky. J. T. DAY GROCERY CO., EVANS & BEAN, Winchester, Ky.

MERCHANT, this is the time to place your order with TRIMBLE BROS. for a box of the celebrated "LAGER" Tobacco. They are now in receipt of the largest shipment of manufactured tobacco ever made to Mt. Sterling.

C. A. RAINE & CO., Manufacturers, DANVILLE, VA.



DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK that it is poor policy to be shopping around these hard times, trying to find some "Cheap John" house at which to buy your supplies? True economy lies in buying good things. Good things need not be high-priced. For a little matter of twenty-five years we have borne the reputation of keeping the best goods, and selling them at a fair margin of profit. Do you deal with us? If not, why not? It pays to be in good company, and we modestly suggest that you can find no better in this city of Mt. Sterling. We would be glad to welcome you to our rapidly increasing list of customers. We do not want the earth, but we do want those who live on it, to live well.

P. S. Just now the absorbing question is where to buy your Christmas Fruits, Etc. We can answer the question: "Buy them from the CHILES-THOMPSON GROCERY CO." Whether you want much or little, we can supply you with the HIGHEST GRADE at the LOWEST PRICE consistent with quality.

FOR AN
Elegant Present
In
Books, Cut Glass, Bottles, Perfumes, Fancy Goods
CALL ON
Thos. KENNEDY
The Leading Druggist and Book-Seller.

Go to Jones' and buy you a watch.
Children's school shoes at Sharp, Trimble & Denton's.

Julian leads in the handsomest line of Xmas presents.
We will be out this week in time for our merchants to give out their special offers.

We have a number one man who wants to rent a good farm. Apply at this office.

See that handsome line of pipes at R. C. Lloyd's. They would make elegant presents for gentlemen.

Sutton & Smith are selling out their carpets at cost to quit the trade. This is no fake, but straight talk.

Ladies make your husband a Xmas present of a handsome pair of bedroom slippers, sold by Greene, Clay & Chennault's.

Mrs. Julia Ratliff, of Huntington, West Virginia, has rented the residence of Mrs. Tom Carter, on East High street, lately occupied by Ed Settle, and will take possession in a few days.

Judge John E. Cooper, of this city, Jas. H. Williams, H. D. Combs and others of Frenchburg, are out on a bear hunt on Jewell Fork in Meade county. Their friends are all looking for a bear steak.

Born, to the wife of D. W. Chennault, Sunday, December 16, twin boys. One of the little strangers who had come to share the love and care of the parents staid with them but a few hours, then went to him who said, "O! Such is the Kingdom of Heaven."

Ladies overgivers at Sharp, Trimble & Denton's.

The two men, Hayes Brown and Stone, who were arrested charged with breaking into Jo Chambers' store at Chambers' station, were given four years in the pen at Frenchburg. In the case of S. Shepherd, who was charged with the same offense the jury failed to agree.

The grand expositio which will open at Lexington on the 17th instant will indeed be a great show. Everybody should see it. The C. & O. has kindly given a half fare rate from this city. We advise our people to take in the exposition and to go early and often.

The most carefully selected line of decorated tables were to be found in Eastern Kentucky at W. P. Oldham & Co's

What if I should Die To-night?

Have I

made my duty to my family?
Made them safe from the jaws of want?
Made arrangements to meet all my duties?
Provided a future home for my children?
Provided means to educate my children?
Provided against the cold charity of the world?
Provided for old age?
Provided for long sickness?
Provided for death?
Provided for funeral expenses?
Insured my life?

If Not,

You should insure at once with W. C. HOFFMAN, Special Agent of THE NATIONAL INSURANCE CO., which company writes the best and most liberal contract of any other.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Christmas gifts are now in vogue—diamond rings are just the thing; the young man with jewelry his girl he'll rob—his pocket-book will have no more.

Harvey Prewitt was in Lexington last week.
J. M. Rose, of Hazel Green, was in the city yesterday.

Sam Bigstaff is quite ill at his home on Mayville street.
Carroll Marshall, of Virginia, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. Sid Clay, of Paris, was in the city yesterday buying stock.

Mr. Harvey Chennault, of Madison county, was in the city last week.

Miss Lila Chennault, of Richmond, is visiting Miss Mattie Bridgeforth.

Mr. John G. Willou left Sunday night for Cincinnati on business?

Miss Margaret Woodford, left Tuesday on a visit to friends in Louisville.

Mrs. W. S. Lloyd and Miss Juliet French were in Cincinnati last week.

Mr. Pieratt, the popular liverman of Hazel Green, was in the city yesterday.

W. C. Hoffman returned from a business trip through the mountains Sunday.

Miss Genelia Corbett is visiting her sister, Mrs. D. J. McNamara, in Covington.

Mr. George Smith has returned from a two week's visit to relatives in Covington.

Thos. D. Richardson, of Paris, is in the city shaking hands with his old-time friends.
W. R. Lane, the popular insurance man of Winchester, was in the city yesterday.

J. H. Powers, of Flemingsburg, was in the city yesterday on legal business.

Mr. Wm. Ramsey, of Owingsville, attended the "Bob" Taylor lecture Saturday night.

Mrs. R. M. and Mrs. N. H. Trimble and Miss Ella Trimble visited in Lexington last week.

Mr. Wm. Stephens, of Louisville, is visiting Mr. John Thompson and family on Clay street.

Miss Sallie Greene visited the family of Judge James H. Hazelrigg, in Frankfort, last week.

Walter Scott and Miss Jennie Anderson spent Sunday with Miss Anna Strode, of Hedges, Ky.

Dr. and Mrs. Patton Griffiths, of Louisville, are visiting Mrs. Griffith's sister, Mrs. W. O. Chennault.

Mrs. J. D. Sewell and little son, Oscar, of Salt Lick, visited relatives in the city a few days last week.

Miss Jane Goodpaster and Miss Agnes Carlett, of Owingsville, attended the "Bob" Taylor lecture Tuesday night.

Mrs. W. J. Anderson, of Jackson, Tenn., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lindsey, on East Main street.

Mrs. W. H. Talbott and daughters, Misses May and Eva, of Clark county, were visiting Mrs. W. S. Richart in the city yesterday.

Miss Margaret Fogg has resumed her position at Enuch's Bargain House, and her pleasant smile will greet her many friends, as of yore.

I. N. Collier, Assessor of Meade county, was in the city Monday. He will leave for a three months' visit to friends in Virginia and Tennessee.

Miss Beale Woodford, of Paris, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Woodford for two weeks past, returned home Tuesday.

Mr. D. A. Collius, of Cedar Grove, was in the city Monday on business. He paid the ADVOCATE a call and renewed his connection with us for another year.

Meers, Robert Benton and Rice Crooks, who are attending school at Richmond, Ky., will return to their homes in this city Friday to spend the holidays.

The "Monigonyer" and "Sterling" ball clubs are making elaborate preparations for two hops during Christmas week; we have no doubt that both will be brilliant affairs.

Mrs. Fannie Stoffer returned on Wednesday from Louisville, where she had gone to seek special medical attention. Her friends will be grieved to learn she found no relief.

Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson and daughter, Miss Margaret, leave for

Louisville Wednesday to visit the families of R. T. Bean and Dr. Skinner. They will be absent several weeks.

Mr. Hanly C. Ragan and wife, late of Kansas City, Mo., returned home last Monday night. They will probably spend the winter with Mrs. Ragan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Bigstaff.

Judge Squire Turner, of the Sentinel-Democrat, came home Saturday from Louisville and returned yesterday afternoon. He is under the care of Dr. Cheatham, and is finding much relief from a throat trouble that has given him great annoyance.

Mr. J. H. Scott, of Flat Creek, was in town Saturday to meet his wife who had been to Jeffersonville, Ind., attending the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Mary Johnson, in her last illness and performing the last rites at her death, which occurred Monday of last week.

Mrs. T. P. Martin left Thursday for Aikins, S. C., to spend the winter. She has been in very delicate health for some weeks past, but we hope the change of climate will effect a speedy recovery. Letters received yesterday tell of her safe arrival and pleasant surroundings.

Misses Etta and May Mercer, of Independence, Mo., who have been the guests of Miss Sallie Greene, near Grassy Lick, are visiting the family of Judge Jas. H. Hazelrigg, in Frankfort. The young ladies will return for a further visit to Miss Greene on Friday.

Miss Allie Graves, one of Mt. Sterling's popular music teachers, gave a number of her friends a most delightful evening's entertainment on Friday last in the shape of a recital by her music class, at the residence of Mr. John T. McCormick. Among those who took part in the delightfully arranged programme, besides the talented teacher, were Misses Ella Stoppa, Lottie Burbridge, Mary Cassidy, Sadie McVey, Minnie McCormick, Corinn Kirkpatrick, Linda Crooks, Annie Fletcher and Bettie Hazelrigg, and Masters Clarence Richardson and Frank McCormick. We did not have the pleasure of being present, but Uncle Bob Hazelrigg, who is a good judge of all things nice, says the recital was simply first class.

Miss Graves is building up for herself a most enviable reputation as a teacher in her chosen profession. By untiring gifts, she has spent much time and money in fitting herself for the work into which she has thrown herself with the spirit of a born artist.

The sales of leaf tobacco in this market this week are the heaviest ever known so early in the season. The offerings Wednesday were 915 hogheads, and Thursday were 935. Considering the rather poor quality of the offerings and the general depreciation in farm products, the prices are satisfactory and the market is firm.—Courier-Journal.

The Queen & Crescent announces a special rate of fare and a third for the round trip from Cincinnati and from all stations in Kentucky, account Lexington, Ky. Midwinter Fair and Exposition, December 19th to January 8th. It will undoubtedly be the greatest exhibition ever held in Kentucky. Tickets on sale via the Q & C every day during the Fair, good until January 9th to return. CHAR. W. ZELL, D. P. A., Cincinnati, O.

At Julian's For Xmas Presents
Fine Finish and Wooden Cases.
Fine Shaving Cases.
Fine Photo Boxes.
Fine Photo Albums.
Fine Illustrated Books.
Fine Illustrated Booklets.
Fine Vases.
The latest, choicest and cheapest.

Friday and Saturday
W. W. Reed's store was crowded with customers buying and selecting presents from his large and beautiful line of French, Carisbad, Bohemian and Bavarian China. His stock is well assorted and the trade has no trouble in finding just what they want.

An attempt was made in the Senate Wednesday to bring up the bill repealing the differential duty on refined sugar, but consideration was refused by a vote of 23 to 27.

It is said to be Congressman Bland's purpose to introduce his Free Silver Collage Bill as an amendment to the Carlisle Currency Bill when the latter is reported.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Levee.
The Baptists are repainting Macedonia church.

Mr. Holmes is delivering nice white corn at Clay City at \$2.50 per barrel.

John Bradham is at death's door with catarrh of the head and throat.

Stock hogs are selling at \$4 per hundred in this neighborhood.

Sant Johnson accidentally shot himself in the thigh last Friday with a pistol.

We have had an abundance of rain in the past few days, which has filled the dry wells.

Allen White bought 100 acres of land, partly improved, on the head of Lulaburg, from John Neal, for \$400 cash, and has moved to it.

Rev. D. P. Ware's wife, who has been quite low with typhoid fever for a long time is getting well.

Mr. George Garrett and wife, Miss Etta Garrett and Messrs. Joe Garrett and Strother Anderson, of Hudson, Ill., are visiting relatives in this neighborhood.

Grassy Lick.
Miss Sallie Greene was visiting friends in Frankfort last week.

Buck Sullivan will move on Geo. O. Graves' farm and cultivate corn and tobacco.

Nathaniel Ramsey and wife, of Winchester, were visiting their son, William, last week.

Robert Howell sold last week to G. L. Kirkpatrick 44 acres of tobacco—6,500 pounds at 8 cents and 1,800 pounds at 3 cents, the 44 acres making 8,300 pounds, an average of nearly 2,000 pounds to the acre.

The friends around Grassy Lick church are showing their love and appreciation for the Rev. J. J. Johnson by making him up a nice Christmas present in the way of a large box of provisions, such as old hams, turkeys, flour, etc.

James Johnson has rented of James Wale, near Schellville, 200 acres of land for the year 1895 at \$600—50 acres for corn and 4 acres for tobacco, balance in grass. Mr. Johnson has been living in this neighborhood for fifteen years and has made a good citizen. We regret to give him up.

The cheapest and handsomest Xmas presents at Julian's.

Sutton & Smith are right in the way when you come to something really elegant in the furniture line for a Christmas present.

SHIPS THAT PASS IN THE NIGHT
Are constantly bringing fresh supplies of foreign fruits and Nuts to the

CHILES, THOMPSON GROCERY CO.
Apples, Oranges, Bananas the very best. Also a fresh lot of Candy, Nuts etc., etc., at Sutton & Co's.

Mixed Nuts 15c per pound at Baum's.



Tired, Weak, Nervous Could Not Sleep.

Prof. L. D. Edwards, of Preston, Idaho, says: "I was all run down, weak, nervous and irritable through overwork. I suffered from brain fatigue, mental depression, etc. I became so weak and nervous that I could not sleep. I would almost tire, discouraged and blue. I began taking Dr. Miles' Nerveine and now everything is changed. I sleep soundly, I feel bright, active and ambitious. I can do more in one day now than I used to do in a week. For this great good I give Dr. Miles' Restorative Nerveine the sole credit."

It Cures.
Dr. Miles' Nerveine is sold on a positive guarantee that it will cure all the above ailments. All druggists sell it at 25c a bottle for \$5.00 or by mail on receipt of price by the Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.



A Helpless Invalid
Kidney and Liver Trouble and Nervous Debility

16 Years of Suffering Ended by Taking Hood's.

"C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass."

"The effects of Hood's Sarsaparilla in my case have been truly marvelous. It has cured me of all my troubles. I have been taking it for sixteen years. I thank God for my health, and C. I. Hood & Co., for Hood's Sarsaparilla. I have recovered from a nervous debility, and was a Helpless Invalid. I have been taking Hood's Sarsaparilla for three months and I feel that I am cured. I feel better now than I have for sixteen years. I thank God for my health, and C. I. Hood & Co., for Hood's Sarsaparilla. I have recovered from a nervous debility, and was a Helpless Invalid. I have been taking Hood's Sarsaparilla for three months and I feel that I am cured. I feel better now than I have for sixteen years. I thank God for my health, and C. I. Hood & Co., for Hood's Sarsaparilla. I have recovered from a nervous debility, and was a Helpless Invalid. I have been taking Hood's Sarsaparilla for three months and I feel that I am cured. I feel better now than I have for sixteen years. 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THE ADVOCATE.

"The deuce! I do feel bad."
"What's the matter?" "I ate a steak of borscht, and it's going round and round in my inside." "My dear fellow! It must have been a circus horse."

Wife—"The price of the clock was \$10, but I got a discount, so it only cost me \$8."

Husband—"Yes, but you could have got the same thing at Beezle's for \$5."

Wife—"That may be, but then Beezle wouldn't have taken off anything."—Boston Transcript.

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Mande—"What is the trouble between Alice and Kate?"

Ethel—"Why, you see, Alice asked Kate to tell her just what she thought of her."

Mande—"Yes?"

Ethel—"Kate told her."—Boston Transcript.

"Come, William, give something, said the doctor."

"Can't do it, dear," said Bill.

"Why not? Isn't the cause a good one?"

"Yes, good 'nuff, but I ain't able to give nothing."

Poor! prob! I know better. You must give a better reason than that."

"Well, I owe too much money."

"Well, but William, you owe God a larger debt than any one else."

"That's true, but he ain't a pushing me like the rest of my creditors."

Attorney—"You are the president of the Dazzling Sun Gas Company, are you not?"

Witness—"Yes."

"Now, sir, for the purpose of getting at the exact facts in this case I am compelled to ask you what it costs the gas company per 1000 feet to manufacture gas."

"That, sir, is a matter of no concern to you, and has nothing to do with this case."

"I insist upon knowing."

"I prefer not to answer, sir."

To the Court—"Your honor, sir, it is absolutely necessary to get the figures."

The Court—"The witness will answer the question."

"Now, then, I will ask you again, sir. How much does the manufacture of gas cost the company by the 1000 feet?"

"I haven't any idea. I have nothing to do with the business affairs of the company, sir, except to draw my regular quarterly dividend of 5 per cent."—Chicago Tribune.

Dangerous.

"Look at these bottles," said a well known druggist; "do you notice anything peculiar about them?"

He pointed to an assortment of bottles that were about to be packed up for a customer. Each one bore a label marked in plain letters "Poison."

There were also death's heads and crossbones beneath the labels. The bottles were of all sizes and sorts.

"What does it mean? Wholesale suicide—hey?"

"Not by any means. Those are the toilet essences of a young woman of fashion. They are prescriptions for the complexion, sleeping draughts, liniments, and that large bottle is plain ammonia, but we must mark them all so that in case a juvenile in the family should drink of their contents a coroner's jury would exonerate us. See?"

"Atas," murmured the other man as he gazed on the deadly assortment, "to this complexion have we come at last!" and he gave an awkward thanksgiving that he still a bachelor.

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Cheese Making.

The progress in cheese-making methods is commensurate with that in other departments of industry. Readers whose recollection goes back but a few decades will recall the primitive "cheese-press," which formed a part of every farmer's equipment. In many an instance it was of the most unpretentious sort; a block of wood serving as the foundation upon which the "cheese-boop" with its load of curd was placed. The simplest known form of leverage gave the pressure, a quantity of large stones applied at the free end forming the weight. The subsequent treatment of the product, during the process of "curing and storage, would not always bear too realistic a description, though there were, of course, many careful and conscientious manipulators, whose cheese were formed through the limited region in which they sought a market.

The aristocratic cheese of those times was that known as "dairy made"—this term implying that unusual facilities were employed, and that the product would naturally be comparatively fine. Dairy cheeses were larger in size than their ordinary cousins; more care was expended in their cure and ripening; the consistency and flavor were better; they were less liable to the invasions of minute miniature forms of insect life, liable to be found in the ordinary varieties. But the justification of the factory system marked a revolution so radical that practically all the cheese on general sale is now factory made. While "dairy" butter still contends, to some extent, the field which the "creamery" product has so largely won, it would appear that proprietors of dairies, or herds, have practically surrendered before the milk gatherer for the cheese factory. —Good Housekeeping.

A Wonder Worker.

Mr. Frank Hoffman, a young man of Burlington, Ohio, states that he has been under the care of two prominent physicians, and used their treatment until he was not able to get around. They pronounced his case to be consumption and incurable. He was persuaded to try Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds and at that time was not able to walk across the street without resting. He found, before he had used half of a dollar bottle, that he was much better; he continued to use it and is to-day enjoying good health. If you have throat, lung or chest trouble try it. We guarantee satisfaction. Trial bottle free at W. S. Lloyd's drugstore.

Etchings From Norristown Herald.

Fals friend—Store teeth and cork legs.

A two-year-old child in Dumbor can count up to one hundred. Another verification of the saying that "it is the little things that count."

Among the crooked fellows who hold office in New York city must be included District Attorney Fellows.

Of the 2,000 girl students in the London Guildhall School of Music about 300 are studying on the violin. The rental of 1700 will take up the beam later.

The boy at the breakfast table had already six lumps of sugar in his coffee.

"Mamma," he begged, "I want more sugar in my coffee."

"I do believe, John," she said to her husband as he dropped in another lump, "that Willie will be a United States Senator when he grows up."

—Detroit Free Press.

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THE ADVOCATE.

The Georgia Legislature adjourned Wednesday, after a session of fifty days.

Two members of the Spring Lake (Mich.) fire department having been dismissed by the president for profanity, the other members struck.

The wettest place in the world is Cherrapunji, in Assam, where the average rainfall for fifteen years has been 493 inches. In 1861 it was 905.

Berlin is one of the most cosmopolitan of European cities. Though it is the capital of Germany, only 37 per cent. of its inhabitants are Germans by birth.

At a recent session of the Central criminal court, London, a witness who was suffering from a violent affection kissed the Bible in the usual way. The judge promptly ordered the book destroyed.

Miss Alice Stone Blackwell, who has taken a deep interest in the Armenians who have come to this country, says that in Massachusetts alone there are now 3,000 Armenians, of whom 650 are in Worcester.

Teacher—"Now, Flossie, you want to spend your ten cents in a way that will do the most good, don't you?" Flossie—"Yes'm, but mamma won't let me."

Teacher—"Why?" Flossie—"She says she can't 'um' in bad for the teeth."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Probably there is nothing so exasperating in this world as a left-over fly. It has just energy enough to alight on your head and not enough to jump off briskly, and when he does get off he is right back again only half an inch away. People of an irritable disposition have been known to sweat at a left-over fly.—Boston Transcript.

The Lord Only Knows.

If Bob Ingersoll insists that there is no hell, will he please state what becomes of the man who takes the paper three or four years without paying for it and then tells the Postmaster that he doesn't want it?—Pleading Democrat.

The Martin County Gazette thus comes back at the Mt. Sterling Gazette: "That journal which delights to stir mountain counties, the Mt. Sterling Gazette, says that lands in Eastern Kentucky are not assessed at a fair value, and that the Bluegrass people are paying an unfair proportion of the State revenue. We know of many people here in Martin county who would be glad to get some Bluegrass man to buy their lands at two thirds of its assessed value. If the bluegrass farmers want to change places with the mountain farmer, we'll trade them Martin county at ten acres for one. Shut up; you don't know what you are talking about."

Electricity played an important part in the recent elections. Many stereopticons using electric lights were employed during the campaign for the usual purposes, and were afterwards used on election night to exhibit the returns. In New York city the World used the red and white incandescent lights on the dome of the Pulitzer building to indicate the result according to a prearranged code. The Herald used the big search-light on the tower of Madison Square Garden for a similar purpose, and also had a code of signals by which the blinking of the electric lights in the eyes of the owl on its building in Herald Square indicated how the returns were coming in. The telegraph and long distance telephone played their usual important parts, although a severe storm had crippled the connections between New York and New England.—Electrical Review.

From Middlesborough comes the news that Hon. John H. Wilson will tackle Hon. W. O. Bradley for the Republican nomination for Governor. This sounds improbable. Wilson has passed through the Bradley machine a time or two, and the sausage state believed not to be to his liking. From the same source comes the suggestion that Hon. R. D. Hill will be a candidate for Attorney General on the Republican ticket, and that Will Morrow, of Somerset, is also looking for the same plum. Judge Denton, Pulaski, has also looked into view as a gubernatorial possibility. In fact, the whole Eleventh district is swarming with Republican candidates. These gentlemen look upon themselves as, in a measure, entitled to the first pick of the prize.

CURRENT TOPICS.

Wyoming has 30,000 square miles of road deposits.

Boston returns an official registration of 88,882 voters.

In India books have to be carefully protected against insects.

Patit declares that she will never sing in this country again.

There are 14,500 miles of rabbit-proof fencing in Australia.

The Emperor of Austria is strongly opposed to capital punishment.

People never think of whistling in Iceland. It is a violation of the divine law.

With the present optical instruments in use 50,000,000 stars are rendered visible.

The Empire theater, London, has been paying a dividend of seventy per cent.

The eggs of the Bahama cuckoo are held at \$100 a per set by dealers in birds' eggs.

Samuel Carson, an ex-Missouri knight, has fallen heir to \$40,000 in Chicago.

This Government will give away next year, under the head of pensions, \$140,000,000.

The ocellidum, a species of shellless snail (slug), has innumerable eyes on its back.

The product of the wax tree of the Andes cannot be distinguished from beeswax.

Oxen and sheep are believed by some stockmen to fatten better in company than when kept apart.

More sugar beets than ever will be planted in Nebraska next year. They pay better than wheat.

A late curiosity gleaner claims that there are five hundred open caverns in Edmonson county, Ky.

The first building and loan association in the country was organized near Philadelphia in 1831.

The common house fly makes six hundred strokes per second when in the act of ordinary flight.

In several European countries, including France and Belgium, elections are always held on Sunday.

The two fields of Waterloo and London are now covered with a crop of crimson poppies every year.

Carl Marr, of Milwaukee, has been appointed a professor at the Royal Academy of Fine Arts, Munich.

If the Mediterranean would evaporate to the extent of five hundred feet Italy would be joined to Africa.

Montana will furnish about two hundred thousand head of beef cattle to the eastern markets this year.

In Germany street cars are now being made which are run by ordinary gas compressed to ten atmospheres.

The people of Logan county, W. Va., have voted for a division of the county, the new portion to be named Kemm.

The Chicago police captured eight young men who had organized a "dukes" protective and mutual benefit club.

King Oscar of Sweden is the only European monarch who unreservedly accepts the Darwinian theory of evolution.

The American Bible Publication Society will send to the Emperor of China, at his own request, a copy of the Scriptures.

When terrified the ostrich travels at the rate of twenty-five miles an hour, and clears twelve to fourteen feet at a stride.

If a bedstead creaks at each movement of the sleeper remove the slats and wrap the ends of each in old newspapers.

The lowest order of animal life is found in the microscopic jellyfish. It is simply a minute drop of gelatinous matter.

Monard City, Mo., has a 13-year-old boy who weighs 242 pounds; and Casco, Me., a 12-year-old girl who weighs 225 pounds.

Queen Margaret of Italy is to receive a costly gift. The Velocub club of Milan has decided to give her a golden bicycle.

Siberian peasants clean, stretch and dry the skin of the turbot for leather bags and as a substitute for glass window panes.

The mole is an excellent civil engineer. He always secures his own

safety by having several entrances to his dwelling.

A Detroit dentist, who inadvertently pulled the wrong tooth for a lady patient, has been compelled to pay her \$500 damages.

The outer layers of the alligator's skin are said to contain a large percentage of silica, hence the hardness of the animal's hide.

A five-cent restaurant for women, opened some time ago in Boston, has proved quite as great a success as those for men usually are.

There were two total eclipses of the sun in the year 1712 and two in 1889. This rare phenomenon will not happen again until the year 2057.

Salvation army officers have been appointed to look after the Salvationists connected with the different armies and navies of the world.

THE DELINEATOR

For January, Which Is Called the Holiday Number

Offers a table of contents that is extremely attractive and promises well for the New Year. The fashions are illustrated and described in the usual satisfactory manner, and there is a special article appropriate for the season on "Misses' and Girls' Dresses." In the College Series a new departure is made, and the description of life at the Co-educational Institutions is begun, the first article being on Cornell, from the pen of Florence M. Holder, '91. A very readable paper by Alice McKenna treats of Women in Telephone Exchanges, and the Hygiene of the Eyes and Ears is the subject of an able contribution by A. B. Longstreet. A second installment on Dressing Dolls appears in The Uses of Grope and Tissue Papers, and in Venetian Iron Work are shown some very pretty and original designs for photograph easels to be made at home. The spirit of the time is reflected in The Display of the Shops, and among the Holiday Books; and there is an exceedingly pretty "Good-Night" Drill for Children. Seasonable Cooking is made more valuable to the housekeeper by addition of lists showing what fish, fowl and vegetables are to be procured in the markets. There is advice on How to Serve Banquets, and a continuation of the articles on the Home. There are also Around the Tea-Table and Floral Work, and New Designs in Knitting, Netting, Tatting, Crocheting, Lace Making, etc.

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A horse butcher announces that he will open a shop in New York for the sale of horse meat.

An Arizona court has sentenced Oscar Rogers, convicted of train-robbing, to be hanged February 8.

The Banking and Currency Committee Wednesday began hearings on the Carlisle Currency Bill.

The first shipment of oysters in crates to England from Norfolk left Newport News Wednesday.

Baroness de Rothschild, widow of the late head of the great Frankfort banking house, died Wednesday.

Reports of a reconciliation between Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt are denied by counsel for both parties.

John Wilson, an aged resident of Georgetown, was picked up dead in his garden. Heart disease was the cause.

The island of Auburn, New Hebrides, has been destroyed by a volcano. A village with all its inhabitants was swept into the sea.

The reports of Japanese atrocities committed at Port Arthur are discredited in diplomatic circles at Washington.

A withdrawal of \$2,150,000 in gold from the sub-treasury in New York Wednesday reduced the gold balance to \$108,378,477.

William Taylor, the murderer of David Doty, in Madison county, was Wednesday condemned to death for his crime.

The two men tried at Memphis for the lynching of six negroes at Millington, Tenn., have been acquitted, and the prosecution against the other eleven has been dropped.

The various bluffs of the sugar planters having failed, the Louisiana Representatives have introduced in the House bills providing for payment of the McKinley bounty on all sugar produced this year.

The Boston Transcript kept a record of foot-ball accidents during the last season, of about eleven weeks. Three players were killed, one was paralyzed, one became insane and nearly fifty others were injured, some seriously.

In the United States Court, in session at Covington, John Hamilton, of Pulaski county, was convicted on the charge of making counterfeit money, and Matt Colyer of passing the same. Both were sentenced to the Jeffersonville penitentiary for three years.

Two notable public men died Wednesday. Sir John Thompson, Premier of Canada, died suddenly at Windsor, England, and M. Auguste Burdeau, President of the French Chamber of Deputies, died in Paris after an illness of some duration.

President Cleveland Monday issued an order extending the Civil Service rules to all store keepers, gaugers and clerks in the Internal Revenue service. The order affects 2,471 employees, whose positions it makes secure against the sudden mutations of politics. Deputy Collectors are not included in the order.

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DEAR SIR:—Allow me to thank you and through you Mr. James Powell and "The Royal Ins. Co." for the prompt and satisfactory manner in which the loss on my dwelling was settled, the loss being paid by Sight Draft on the very day the loss was settled.

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Some idea of the high-class attractions which the Owensboro amusement-loving people have the pleasure of witnessing may be had from the following from the Messenger: "The people of Owensboro are extremely grateful to the manager of the Temple Theater for the announcement that he has no intention of closing his play-house January 1, and for the further information that he has in store for them for the remainder of the present month such first-class attractions as 'Peek's Bad Boy' and 'Clint Ford,' 'American Hero.' The folk will hardly be able to contain themselves until these shows come. We are right in it, indeed. Nothing could do us any harm if we could only have the 'Ferris Comedians' again."

STOCK AND CROP.

Boyd & Hendrix, of Bethel precinct, purchased of Lewis Barber, on middle Licking river, one ox at \$27.50, one at \$30.00—the pair weighing 2900 pounds—and one cow at \$17.50; of Joseph Horseman, on Washington Branch, one 900-lb. cow and one 700-lb. steer at \$24.00; of Joseph Williams, Forge Hill, four oxen and one cow for \$120; of W. W. Williams, two 900-lb. heifers at \$25.00, and two oxen at \$23.00; of Lee Rice, Wyonlog, one ox at \$27.50. The firm will ship a car load of cattle to Cincinnati, Saturday.—Owingsville Onlook.

R. A. Dodd, of Wilmore, bought of J. A. Hugueley, of Burgin, two car loads of fat cattle, average weight 1328 pounds, at 40c..... The hog market shows no falling off and the corn crop is very short, so hogs are being rushed early to market. Corn is not half of the first estimate. Meat will be high next year.... B. D. Spears sold to Eastern parties a hackney of fine breed, on the 10th inst., for \$300.—Winchester Democrat.

Mr. Joseph Sliedt with A. B. Murray, Live Stock Commissioner of New Orleans, La., writes us: "Mules on this (New Orleans) market weighing 1200 to 1300 lbs 4 years old and 16 hands are selling at \$140 per head on 12 months time."

Mules 15 hands are selling from \$110 to \$120 each on 12 months time mules 14 hands sell from \$65 to \$75 per head.

The horse market is almost nothing, good horses 15 to 16 hands, 4 to 6 years old, are selling at from \$50 to \$65 dollars per head. Every town in Louisiana has from two to three car loads of horses to sell at auction. I have been in this city for five years and have sold every year 16 hand mules from \$185 to \$225 per head and 15 hand mules I have sold from \$150 to \$165 per head, my sales running from 500 to 800 animals per year. The people of this State had made their preparations for producing sugar under the then existing laws, but the sudden repeal of the sugar bounty has left the trade in a most demoralized condition.

Our horse show has on hand and for sale in our stables here 175 head of mules and about 100 more in Tennessee."

County Court Day.

There was between 500 and 1000 cattle on the market. The quality was not as good as last month; not as many feeders of good weight as we have usually. The market was strong and any cattle of good quality with fair weight sold readily. The usual traders were on hand that buy up the droves in Eastern Kentucky, and bring them here for sale, but they did not have the number that were here last court-day. Fair feeders at 1000 pounds weight sold for \$3.40; yearling from 24 to 3 cents; heifers and cows at from 14 to 24 cents. The sales were brisk at the prices named. The mule trade was slow. M. H. Board, of Carothers & Board, of Lexington, Ky., bought a few mules at low prices. There were several buyers who were looking for good horses: H. H. Keeler, of Lexington; N. H. Bayless, of Paris; T. J. Davis, of Carlisle. John W. White sold to Mr. Hart, of Fleming county, a fancy dark gelding at a good price.

Fine horses are in demand and owners of such can get good prices for them.

SALES OF CATTLE.

Arch Bedford, of Bourbon county, bought thirty feeders of Allen & Trimble, of Morgan county, at \$3.40. They averaged over 1000 pounds. The same party bought a lot of cattle of about same weight from Richard Conner at same price. J. D. Reed bought some 800 pound cattle at 24 cents.

J. J. Maloney, who was indicted thirteen years ago by a Jefferson county grand jury for murder, and who was known as the "dying" murderer on account of the number of continuances he had received because he was said to be dying of consumption, was Friday acquitted under peremptory instructions at Louisville.

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The sales on our market this week have been immense including 3356 hhds. of new burley tobacco, the better grades of which have sold remarkably high. Nineteen dollars and seventy-five cents was realized for one hhd. of new burley and a number of hhds. sold at prices ranging from \$13 to \$17. The offerings continue to abound in common grades badly mixed in color which class of tobacco is selling low. The general tone of the market for the new crop has been firm. Our market is strong for all old tobacco with bright color.

The following quotations fairly represent our market for burley tobacco. (1893 crop)

Trash. (Dark or damaged tobacco) \$2.00 to \$3.00.
Common quality trash, \$3.00 to \$4.00
Medium to good quality trash, \$4.00 to \$6.00.
Common lugs, not color, \$3.50 to \$4.50.
Common color lugs, \$4.50 to \$6.00.
Medium to good color lugs, \$6.00 to \$7.50.
Common to medium leaf \$7.00 to \$9.00.
Medium to good leaf, \$9.00 to \$14.00.
Good to fine leaf, \$14 to \$18.
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Cincinnati Live Stock Market.

Cincinnati, Ohio, December 3.—Receipts—Hogs 3973 head; cattle 227; sheep 132. Shipments—Hogs, 1054 head; cattle, 84; sheep 180.

HOGS—Market 5c lower than yesterday's close. Select shippers, \$4.45@4.50; butchers, \$4.25@4.45; packers, \$4.45@4.50; the good light, \$4.40@3.00; common and rough, \$4.40@4.20.

CATTLE—Market steady. Good shippers, 4.10@4.45; good to choice, \$4.10@4.50; fair to medium, \$3.25@3.40; common, \$2.25@3.

SHEEP—Market steady. Extras, \$3.25@3.50; good to choice, \$2.25@3.30; common to fair \$1.25@2.

LAMBS—Market steady. Extras, \$3.50; good to choice, \$3.10@3.40; common to fair, \$2.25@3.

VEAL CALVES—Market lower; fair to good light, \$4.30@5.50; common and large, \$2.50@4.25

There is a gradual movement everywhere toward suppressing the brutal game of foot ball. Unless the rules are so amended as to do away with the prize-fight features and fewer fatalities result, it will only be a matter of a very short while until there is legislation against the game. There have been eight deaths so far this season, to say nothing of the seven or eight players who run into by a train in Massachusetts and killed. The Georgetown Board of Education, recognizing the danger of the game, has prohibited the boys of the city schools from playing on the school grounds.

Holiday Excursions.

For the Christmas and New Year holidays the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad will sell excursion tickets at greatly reduced rates, December 24, 25, 31, and January 1, good returning until January 2, 1895. For rates and full information apply to nearest ticket agent of the company.

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Agricultural News and Notes.

Progressive farmers are anticipating a general use of Electricity on the farm, by the aid of which both farm and household machinery will be run.

High prices are indicated for potatoes, there being a very short crop at home and only fair yields abroad.

The wool clip of 1894 in the United States is the lightest in several years.

There is a big foreign demand for onions.

Much of the "genuine olive oil" so called is pressed out of cotton seed.

Hungarian bronze grass is attracting attention now, especially for poor, dry soils.

Sweet corn, which is a special Maine agricultural product has been favored with good weather conditions this season, and while the average was much less than for several years past the final results are satisfactory.

It is told on good authority that in New York city alone more than \$4,000,000 are invested in cold storage.

The Silver Question.

The best object lesson we have seen on this question was a sale made by our popular jeweler, John Jones, a few days ago. He said to a customer who desired to purchase a dozen solid silver table spoons, "Lay these in one side of the scales and your silver dollars in the other and I will give you the one for the other, weight for weight. Yes, I will even allow you a discount of 5 per cent." Go to Jones' and get some of his remarkable bargains in solid silverware.

Died, on Monday the 10 inst., of inflammation of the stomach, infant son of William Eubank and wife, at their home near Kiddville. The little one had been in the world only three weeks when the Lord took it to heaven. Services at the grave in Macphelah cemetery by Elder B. W. Trimble.

A new military company is in course of organization at Frankfort. So far the officers have been selected. It is a little unusual to elect officers before organizing a company, but then everything goes in Frankfort. If the proposed new company is mustered in it will probably be a part of the Second regiment.—Courier-Journal.

County Judge C. B. Bingham, of Trigg county, has made the Prohibitionists avgr. He granted an application to conduct a saloon for one year in Cadiz. The question of prohibition is to be voted on December 29, and the drys didn't think the Judge ought not to have renewed or granted new license until after the matter was settled.

Capt. Blackwell is at Morganfield preparing to levy on the property of citizens for the railroad tax long since due in Union county. He will make a general seizure January 7, unless the people pay up.

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